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DETAILED ACTION

The reply filed on October 24, 2006 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): 1) Applicant stated that newly added claims 29-36 read on the original elected species, i.e., Species I is noted. However, it is unclear as to whether the stated species I is the same as the one elected within Group I. 2) It appears that the newly amended/submitted claims 1, 29 and 36 are directed to an invention that is independent or distinct from the invention originally claimed for the following reasons: noting the inclusion of exposing portions of the inner wall of the first amorphous silicon layer. Since applicant has received an action on the merits for the originally presented invention, this invention has been constructively elected by original presentation for prosecution on the merits. Accordingly, those claims are withdrawn from consideration as being directed to a non-elected invention. See 37 CFR 1.142(b) and MPEP § 821.03. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Jack Chen whose telephone number is (571)272-1689. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday (9:00am-6:30pm) alternate Monday off.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Carl W. Whitehead can be reached on (571)272-1702. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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